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TITLE OF INVENTION: IMAGE DATA TRANSMISSION DEVICE AND METHOD, COMPUTER-READABLE STORAGE MEDIUM STORING PROGRAM FOR TRANSMITTING IMAGE DATA, AND IMAGE DATA TRANSMISSION AND RECEPTION SYSTEM AND METHOD

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